Any type of restriction of XM Instant Traffic & Weather must be prevented. When I travel I can use XM to find a clear station to learn if there is any hazardous weather or traffic problems in the area. I hear the infromation without stupid local comments and commericals of info I am not interested in. What is next I can not tell my neighbor of a problem if I hear it on other than Xm. If they wish to compete upgrade their services and I am sure people would listen. Try driving in an area where radio reception is nonexistant or fading in and out except for XM seeing dark dangerous clouds ahead and trying to find out what type weather and which way is it going. Try a traffic jam in a town where the radio stations are doing everthing but giving traffic advisories and you are not familiar so how do we avoid this problem?

Please reject NAB petion 04-160 give the american public the freedom to choose. Thank You Wanda Mabe